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1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114:**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ [X] Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages).
- ☒ [X] Form PTO/SB/08 (1 page) listing two (2) references.
- ☒ [X] Petition For Withdraw From Issue – Issue Fee Paid 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c) (2 pages).

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	Claims as Amended	Previously Paid For	Extra Claims Present	Rate	Fee Totals
RCE Fee 1.17(e):				\$790.00	= \$790.00
Total Claims:	31	- 20	= 11	x \$50.00	= \$550.00
Independents	4	- 3	= 1	x \$200.00	= \$200.00
First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims:				+ \$360.00	= \$0.00
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